

76TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 3018

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 3, 1939

Mr. WALSH introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That section 210 of the Communications Act of 1934, ap-
4 proved June 19, 1934 (48 Stat. 1073; 47 U. S. C. 210),
5 is hereby amended by inserting after the words "SEC. 210"
6 the letter "(a)" and by adding at the end of the section
7 the following subsection:

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9 law shall be construed to prohibit common carriers from

1 rendering to any agency of the Government free service in
2 connection with the preparation for the national defense:
3 *Provided*, That such free service may be rendered only in
4 accordance with such rules and regulations as the Commis-
5 sion may prescribe therefor.”, so that section 210 as amended
6 will read as follows:

7 “SEC. 210. (a) Nothing in this Act or in any other
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11 ployees, and their families, or, subject to such rules as the
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[Omit the part struck through]

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